## **DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

## "MEDICAL EXAMINATION AND/OR TREATMENT SYSTEM"

Case No. <u>P03,0471</u>	, the specification	of which
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or being made of record in the application, and

<sup>(1)</sup> It establishes, by itself or in combination with other information, a prima facie case of unpatentability of a claim; or

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<sup>(</sup>ii) Asserting an argument of patentability.

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